**FORM PTO-1082** EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO .: \_\_\_ EV374985946US **PATENT** Attorney Docket No.: 01-795 ate: February 94, 2004 Date: February Inventor(s): Michael H.E. Ware et al. For: COBALT-PHOSPHOROUS-BORON COATING AND PROCESS FOR PLATING M/S PATENT APPLICATION COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS 27431 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 (Insert Customer Number) Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Enclosed are: Pages of Specification Page(s) of Claims <u>15</u> Page Abstract Sheet(s) of drawing (⊠ formal ☐ informal) Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney.  $\bar{\boxtimes}$ ☐ unexecuted Form PTO-1595 and an assignment of the invention to The Boeing Company, 100 North Riverside, Chicago, IL 60606-1596 with a mailing address of M/C 1640-2101, 15460 Laguna Canyon Road, Irvine, California 92618, □ Will follow. A certified copy of from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and 35 U.S.C. 119. Will follow. An associate Power of Attorney A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27. Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449 and 3 prior art reference(s) of non US patents and patent applications. Preliminary Amendment. General Authorization/Request to Petition for extension of time. Return Receipt Postcard FOR: NO. FILED NO. EXTRA SMALL ENTITY SMALL ENTITY OTHER THAN OTHER THAN RATE SMALL ENTITY SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE BASIC FEE \$385.00 OR \$ 770.00 **TOTAL CLAIMS** 44-20= 24 X 9 OR X 18 \$ 432.00 INDEP CLAIMS 6-3= 3 X 43 OR X 86 \$ 258.00 MULTIPLE X 145 OR S + 290 DEP CLAIMS TOTAL = TOTAL: \$ 1,460.00 PRESENTED Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0851 the amount of \$\_ to cover the filing fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$1,500.00 to cover the filing fee and assignment recordal fee is enclosed. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0851 amount of \$40.00 to cover the Assignment Recordal Fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associate with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0851. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0851. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Any patent application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.17. The issue fee set in 37CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.31(b). Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation or extra claims.

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